

What is claimed and desired to be secured by Letters Patent is:

1. A flashlight comprising:

a housing having a front end, a rear end and at least a pair of walls there between; and
a spring actuated grip attachable to the housing whereby the flashlight is able to be hung
from a stationary member;

wherein the grip is able to be actuated by one hand of a user of the flashlight.

2. The flashlight according to claim 1, the housing further comprising a base for standing the
flashlight upright on.

3. The flashlight according to claim 2, the base further comprising one or more feet for
balancing the flashlight when standing its base.

4. The flashlight according to claim 1, the housing further comprising one or more elevations for
protecting the lens from breaking.

5. The flashlight according to claim 1, the housing further comprising a compartment for
storage.

6. The flashlight according to claim 5, wherein the compartment contains any one or more items selected from the group consisting of tools, batteries, an electrical cord able to plug into an electrical outlet for recharging the flashlight, and an electrical cord able to plug into a cigarette lighter of a motor vehicle for recharging the flashlight.
7. The flashlight according to claim 1 further comprising a handle for carrying the flashlight, the handle positioned on the flashlight so that the grip can be actuated by the one hand of the user of the flashlight that is holding the handle when holding the handle.
8. The flashlight according to claim 1 further comprising a switch for turning on and off the flashlight, wherein the switch is accessibly positioned near the handle on a top end of the flashlight for reach by the one hand of the user of the flashlight that is holding the handle when holding the handle.
9. The flashlight according to claim 8 wherein the flashlight provides one or more intensities of lighting by operation of the switch.
10. The flashlight according to claim 1 wherein the grip is securable to any surface selected from the group consisting of a motor vehicle roof, a motor vehicle hood, a motor vehicle trunk, a seat pocket on a motor vehicle seat, and motor vehicle luggage box.

11. A portable lighting device securable to a surface, the device comprising:
 - a housing having at least one lamp element disposed at a front end of the device;
 - a handle adjacent to the housing for carrying the device;
 - a clamp able to secure the device to the surface; and
 - an actuator tangent to the clamp for operating the clamp when securing the device to the surface.
12. The lighting device according to claim 11, further comprising one or more elevations disposed about the lamp element for protecting the lamp element from damage.
13. The lighting device according to claim 11, further comprising a base for standing the device in an upright position when not carried.
14. The lighting device according to claim 13, further comprising one or more legs for supporting the device in an upright position when not carried.
15. The lighting device according to claim 11, further comprising a compartment within the housing for carrying a rechargeable element.
16. The lighting device according to claim 15, wherein the rechargeable element is selected from the group consisting of one or more batteries, an electrical cord able to plug into an electrical outlet for recharging the flashlight, and an electrical cord able to plug into a cigarette lighter of a motor vehicle for recharging the flashlight.

17. The lighting device according to claim 11, further comprising a switch for actuating the device, wherein the switch is disposed on the housing so that the switch can be reached by a hand of a user of the device that is carrying the device when carrying the device, and wherein the switch is disposed on the housing so that the switch can be reached when the device is standing in an upright position.

18. The lighting device according to claim 11, further comprising a charge outlet for recharging the device, and a charge indicator for indicating that the device is being recharged.

19. A method of securing a portable lamp to an object, the method of securing comprising the steps of:

- providing the lamp with a lumination source and a handle opposite the lumination source;
- attaching a securing arrangement to the lamp adjacent to the handle;
- grasping the lamp by the handle;
- extending one or more fingers against a lever thereby raising the securing arrangement from the lamp, creating a space for receiving an object to secure the lamp onto;
- inserting the object into the created space between the securing arrangement and the lamp; and
- retracting the one or more fingers from the lever, thereby lowering the securing arrangement towards the lamp and securing the lamp onto the object.